

**EFFECTIVE**

December 1, 2022.

**Subject(s)****Family First Prevention Services Act Requirements**

1. Prevention Services.
2. Prevention Plan.
3. General Editing and Reorganization.

**1) Prevention Services****PSM 714-2, Supportive Services**

Prevention services are provided on a continuum to ensure the safety of children in the home and improve the family's well-being. Prevention services may be offered in various circumstances as determined by a child's eligibility as a candidate for foster care. More information on eligibility and prevention services information can be found in [SRM 108, Family First Prevention Services Act \(FFPSA\)](#).

**2) Prevention Plan****PSM 714-4, Ongoing Services Updated Services Plan and Case Closure**

Children who are eligible as a candidate for foster care and have been approved to receive prevention services under the Family First Prevention Services Act will also have a prevention plan in the Updated Services Plan (USP). Prevention plans will automatically generate into the USP when one youth participant is identified and there is a prevention plan and program begin date which coincides with the USP period.

Reason: Expansion of services through Family First Prevention Services Act, Public Law 115-123.

**3) General Editing  
and  
Reorganization****PSM 714-2, Supportive Services**

The item was edited to update and clarify language; correct hyperlinks; remove gender-specific language; and reorganize support services in alphabetical order for ease of use.

**PSM 714-4, Ongoing Services Updated Services Plan and Case Closure**

The item was edited to include references to ongoing services rather than Children's Protective Services (CPS) as a program. Additional revisions were made to update and clarify language; correct hyperlinks; remove gender-specific language; and replace specific references to MiSACWIS with the term electronic case record. A legal authority section and policy contact were also added.

Progress reports from Contracted Agencies can no longer be used in lieu of required Updated Service Plans (USP). A USP must be completed per policy requirements.

**MANUAL  
MAINTENANCE  
INSTRUCTIONS**

**Changed Items ...**

[PSM 714-2](#)

[PSM 714-4](#)